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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS CONTROL ACTIVITIES - JANUARY

HIGHLIGHTS OF JANUARY NARCOTICS CONTROL ACTIVITIES

FOLLOW:

(A) AMBASSADOR HILLENBRAND URGED INTERIOR MINISTER

GENSCHER TO CONSIDER APPOINTING THIRTY OPERATIONAL DRUG

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ENFORCEMENT AGENTS TO THE BUNDESKRIMINALAMT STAFF.

(B) CHANCELLOR BRANDT, IN A JANUARY 14 LETTER TO AMBASSADOR HILLENBRAND, REITERATED HIS SUPPORT FOR "THE EFFORTS OF YOUR PRESIDENT TO IMPROVE INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN THE FIGHT AGAINST DRUG AND NARCOTICS ABUSE..."

(C) GERMAN CUSTOMS SEIZED APPROXIMATELY 371 KILOGRAMS OF HASHISH ON JANUARY 8; ON THE SAME DAY HAMBURG POLICE SEIZED 140 GRAMS OF COCAINE.

(D) GERMANY AND SWEDEN CONCLUDED AN AGREEMENT CALLING FOR FORMAL CUSTOMS COOPERATION BETWEEN THEIR CUSTOMS SERVICES IN NARCOTICS QUESTIONS.

(E) NARCOTICS ATTACHE WALTZ ATTENDED THE JANUARY MEETING OF THE PERMANENT WORKING GROUP-NARCOTICS. THE GROUP DECIDED TO RECOMMEND THAT THE FRG ESTABLISH POSITIONS SIMILAR TO THOSE OF THE DEPARTMENT'S NARCOTICS CONTROL COORDINATORS AT SELECTED GERMAN DIPLOMATIC POSTS.

(F) THE DUTCH-GERMAN WORKING GROUP WELCOMED THE PRESENCE OF BELGIAN LAW ENFORCEMENT REPRESENTATIVES WHO PRESENTED A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF THE DRUG PROBLEM IN BELGIUM.

(G) NARCOTICS CONTROL COORDINATOR MACUK ADDRESSED THE BONN AMERICAN BUSINESSMEN'S CLUB RE US-FRG COOPERATION IN THE FIGHT AGAINST DRUG ABUSE.

(H) DEA REGION 17 DIRECTOR KNIGHT VISITED GERMANY TO DISCUSS WITH FRG AUTHORITIES WAYS IN WHICH DEA AND FRG LAW ENFORCEMENT EFFORTS COULD BE BETTER COORDINATED.

(I) MILITARY - THE USAREUR DRUG AND ALCOHOL ABUSE PROGRAM CONTINUES TO SHOW FAVORABLE PROGRESS AS THE GENERAL OVERALL DOWNWARD TREND CONTINUES IN URINE TEST RESULTS. USAREUR CIRCULAR 600-85, WHICH OUTLINES THE PROGRAM IN DETAIL, REMAINS IN EFFECT. A SPECIFIC ORDER AGAINST THE PROGRAM HAS NOT YET BEEN ISSUED BY THE JUDGE IN THE LITIGATION IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

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